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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS/ PFOR, TU, GR  
SUBJECT: TURKISH INTERIOR MINISTER'S VISIT TO ATHENS

REF: ANKARA 8925

WHILE THE ATHENS MEDIA CARRIED TODAY (NOVEMBER 24) AS A  
PROMINENT NEWS ITEM THE FORTHCOMING NOVEMBER 25-28 MEETING  
IN ATHENS OF MINISTERS RESPONSIBLE FOR LOCAL AND REGIONAL  
AFFAIRS OF COUNCIL OF EUROPE COUNTRIES, ONLY ONE DAILY HAS MADE  
MENTION SO FAR OF THE PRESENCE OF TURKISH INTERIOR MINISTER  
ASILTURK. CONSERVATIVE ELEFTHEROS COSMOS IN LARGE LETTERS  
HEADLINED "MESSAGE FROM DEMIREL TO CARAMANLIS VIA TURKISH  
INTERIOR MINISTER WHO ARRIVES TODAY." THE BRIEF, SPECULATIVE  
STORY WHICH FOLLOWED ALLEGED THAT MINISTER ASILTURK IS  
CARRYING A MESSAGE FROM TURKISH PRIME MINISTER DEMIREL  
TO THE GREEK PRIME MINISTER CONCERNING GREEK-TURKISH  
DIFFERENCES, ESPECIALLY WITH REGARD TO RECENT DEVELOP-  
MENTS SUCH AS THE BERN AGREEMENT ON NEGOTIATING  
PROCEDURES ON THE AEGEAN CONTINENTAL SHELF. ALSO NOTED WAS  
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THAT MINISTER ASILTURK IS A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL SALVATION

PARTY OF VICE PREMIER ERBAKAN.  
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